

3. There has not yet been service of process, but Cincinnati has been provided with a courtesy copy of the complaint and formal service is waived. This notice is filed less than thirty days of Cincinnati's receipt of the complaint.

4. Plaintiff, Metropolitan Hospital Authority d/b/a Nashville General Hospital, is a governmental entity affiliated with the Metropolitan Government of Nashville with its principal place of business in Davidson County, Tennessee.

5. Cincinnati maintains its principal place of business at 6200 South Gilmore Road, Fairfield, OH 45014.

6. The underlying complaint seeks \$250,000 in compensatory damages.

7. Because this lawsuit involves citizens of different states and the amount in controversy exceeds \$75,000.00, this Court has jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1332.

ACCORDINGLY, Defendant hereby removes this case from the Circuit Court for Davidson County, Tennessee to the United States District Court for the Middle District of Tennessee.

Respectfully submitted this 22nd day of May, 2008.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing has been furnished to counsel of record in this cause by one of the following means, as checked, on the 22nd day of May, 2008.

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